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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

BURKE BARRETT, ET AL. : Group Art Unit: 3762

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Title: TREATMENT OF OBESITY BY  
BILATERAL VAGUS NERVE STIMULATION

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please amend this application as indicated on the following sheets, before calculating the filing fee.